

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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September 28, 2009

**NOTICE OF ENERGY COMMISSION STAFF
SOILS/WATER RESOURCES AND WASTE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP
FOR THE MIRANT MARSH LANDING PROJECT ((08-AFC-3)
AND THE MIRANT WILLOW PASS PROJECT (08-AFC-6)**

This notice is to inform you that the California Energy Commission staff will hold a workshop to discuss the applicant's responses to staff's data requests and to work towards resolving issues related to the proposed Mirant Marsh Landing and Willow Pass projects.

**Wednesday, October 14, 2009
Starting at 9:00 am**

**California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Third Floor
Third Floor Conference Room - Fishbowl
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512
(Wheelchair Accessible)
(Map Attached)**

**To participate in the meeting by telephone,
please call: 1-877-960-9069 (toll-free in the U.S. and Canada)
Enter passcode: 15691**

PURPOSE

Mirant is the applicant for both of these projects which are located at existing power plant sites in eastern Contra Costa County; Marsh Landing site is in Antioch, and Willow Pass is in Pittsburgh. The workshop will provide an opportunity for agencies, the public and other interested parties to discuss outstanding issues related to soils and water resources and waste management. All interested agencies and members of the public are invited to participate.

California Energy Commission Licensing Authority

The Energy Commission is responsible for reviewing and ultimately approving or denying all applications for construction and operation of thermal electric power plants, 50 MW and greater, proposed for construction in California. The Energy Commission's facility certification process carefully examines public health and safety, environmental impacts and engineering aspects of proposed power plants, and all related facilities such as electric transmission lines and natural gas and water pipelines. The Energy Commission is the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), and because the siting process is a certified regulatory program, the commission produces several environmental and decision documents rather than an Environmental Impact Report.

Public Resources, Contact Information and Additional Sources for Information

If you desire information on how to participate in the Energy Commission's review of the proposed project, please contact the Energy Commission's Public Adviser at (916) 654-4489 or toll free in California at (800) 822-6228 or by email at publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us. For general or technical questions on the Marsh Landing project, please contact Mike Monasmi, Project Manager at (916) 654-4894 or by email at mmonasmi@energy.state.ca.us. For general or technical questions on the Mirant Willow Pass project, please contact Felicia Miller, Project Manager at (916) 654-4640 or by e-mail at fmiller@energy.state.ca.us.

To request special accommodations for those persons with disabilities, please contact Lourdes Quiroz, the Energy Commission's Equal Employment Opportunity Officer at lquiroz@energy.state.ca.us or by telephone at (916) 654-5146. For those persons with limited English knowledge, request interpreter services by contacting the Project Manager at least 5 days in advance of the workshop.

The status of the project, copies of notices, and other relevant documents are available on the Energy Commission's web site at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/marshlanding> and <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/willowpass>. You can subscribe to receive e-mail notification of all notices at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/listservers>.

News media inquiries should be directed to Assistant Director, Susanne Garfield, at (916) 654-4989, or by email at mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us.

Sincerely,

Date: 9/28/09

Original signed by:
Terrence O'Brien, Deputy Director
Siting, Transmission and Environmental
Protection Division

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WASTE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP
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(08-AFC-3 AND 08-AFC-6)**

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